

## HAIG'S FORCES CAPTURE PASS CHENDAELE RIDGE

### Plan To Reclaim Rejected Men

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 12.—Fifty per cent of the men rejected as unfit for military service under the draft were turned down because of minor defects and should now be wearing uniforms. Senator Pomeroy made this point today after a conference with war department officials relative to legislation which he has sponsored having for its object the establishment of reclamation camps where rejected men could be treated and brought up to the proper physical standard.

President Wilson's approval has been given the proposed law and it will be pushed at the session of congress in December. Secretary Baker will urge its adoption.

### STRIKE THREATENS IN EASTERN ROADS FOR LACK COAL

L SHIPPING MAY ALSO BE  
SUSPENDED BECAUSE OF  
LABOR TROUBLES.

(International News Service.)

New York, Oct. 12.—New labor troubles today have almost the entire east and the port of New York in their grip.

The possibilities of a railroad strike affect all territory lying west of Chicago and north of the Potomac river. Complete tie-up of this port is also threatened by the demand for wage increases by men employed on all harbor craft.

These demands have all been met with flat refusals by most of the employers who prefer depending on government action for final settlement. If the strike is called every bit of shipping by water would be at a complete standstill.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 12.—The department of labor had taken no action today to avert the threatened strike of employees at New York City. It is keeping hands off until "invited."

### READ PRICES ARE DROPPING

FOOD ADMINISTRATOR TO ORDER  
EXISTING QUOTATIONS  
LOWERED.

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 12.—The price of bread must come down. If the makers of the nation do not reduce prices, drastic action will be taken by the food administration, officials said today. President Wilson's recent proclamation which placed foodstuffs under the licensing agreement and gave to Herbert Hoover power over many food commodities, did not mention bread. It was authoritatively stated today, however, that Mr. Hoover will very shortly take summary action with the bakers.

### ADMIRAL MAYO SAFE AT HOME

(International News Service.)

Washington, Oct. 12.—Admiral Mayo, commander of the Atlantic fleet, and his staff arrived at an Atlantic Port from England today, the navy department announced. Admiral Mayo went to England to attend a conference of the allied naval leaders and to familiarize himself with the naval situation in the present war. He will come to Washington and make a full report to Secretary Daniels.

### Negress Is Murdered And Her Home Burned

We, the jury, find that Antoinette Stephenson came to her death by violence; that her right thigh was broken and a blow on her head, her body and home being afterwards burned, the body only partially. This by the hands of parties to this jury unknown.

The above is the finding of the coroner's jury after investigating the death of an aged negress residing on the Danville road, near the Murphy place, who is believed to have been murdered and her house afterwards set on fire. The crime occurred early this morning before daylight.

According to testimony introduced at the hearing before Coroner Walter Chennault today, Mrs. Watson, a neighbor, heard two pistol shots about 2 or 3 o'clock this morning in the direction of the Stephenson woman's humble home. When Messrs. Harp and Watson went to the place after daylight, they found the charred body of the woman in the ruins of her house, which had been burned to the ground. The woman's thigh was broken, which gives further credence to the murder theory.

### NEGRO DESPERADO SENTENCED TO DIE FOR MURDER OF HANCEVILLE MAN

WILLIAM HARDLEY, WHOSE  
CRIME IS TRAILED WITH CRIME,  
IS PLACED IN MORGAN COUNTY  
JAIL FOR SAFEKEEPING.

### ROBBED TWO STORES HERE

ALSO ENTERED THE PATTERSON  
STORE AT FALKVILLE. HAS  
ESCAPED FROM CUSTODY THREE  
TIMES. ALMON'S 12th DEATH  
PENALTY.

Walter Hardley, alias Cleveland Wilson, negro desperado, today is confined in the Morgan county jail for safekeeping. He was convicted of the murder of James S. Jones, a merchant of Hanceville, in the Cullman county circuit court last night and sentenced to hang on November 20. The prisoner was brought here today by Sheriff Forman, and will be kept under double watch to prevent his escape.

The crime which Hardley will expiate with his life was one of the most cold-blooded in the criminal annals of North Alabama. One night in August he came to the Jones store and after trying the front door went to the rear door and asked for admission. Mr. Jones was sleeping in the store as a precaution against burglars, his place having been broken into a few days before, and when he allowed the nocturnal customer to enter under the pretense of being served a soft drink was shot to death. The black hurried away from the scene of his crime and was later captured and placed in the Jefferson county jail at Birmingham. He escaped from there last Saturday and was re-captured at Bessemer.

A Trail of Crime.  
The career of the negro murderer is trailed with crime. Four years ago he came into local notice by burglarizing the stores of Williamson & Echols at Decatur and J. A. Buttrely at Albany. For this offense he was sentenced to 30 years penal servitude, but escaped from the mines. He later returned to Morgan county and under an assumed name was convicted of a minor offense and sentenced to the county road. He served the term and was released without his identity becoming known at the time.

It was a few months ago that the black re-appeared in Morgan county, when he broke into and robbed the Patterson store at Falkville. He attempted to make his get-away by boarding a freight train and was apprehended by the crew and carried to Birmingham where he was placed in the city jail. His escape from there was easy, he now boasts.

Hardley was next heard of at Hanceville, when he shot and killed the storekeeper. Soon afterwards he was again in the toils of the law and

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### Letters Three Cents Postals Two Cents After November 2

The following statement in explanation of the new rates on letters and postal cards was issued today by the Albany post-office:

On and after Nov. 2 the postal rates on letter mail will be three cents per ounce, or fraction thereof, instead of two cents, as heretofore, except on drop letters. Drop letters, that is letters mailed for delivery from the office at which posted including those for delivery by city, rural or other carriers of such office, are required to have postage paid on them at the rate of two cents per ounce.

Postal cards are to be prepaid two cents, instead of one cent as heretofore, and therefore the one-cent postal cards must have a one-cent stamp affixed to them in addition to the one-cent stamp impressed on such cards. There is no drop, or local delivery rate on anything but letters. Private mailing cards, such as pictures of local views, etc., must have two cents postage prepaid on them. This is the substance of the new law as affecting postal rates.

### MUSCLE SHOALS IS CERTAIN WINNER

MACHINERY HAS ALREADY BEEN  
ORDERED AND ENGINEERS  
ARE AT WORK.

Sheffield, Ala., Oct. 12.—All doubt relative to the location of the government's experimental nitrate plant and powder mills were dispelled today, when it was learned through a highly reliable source that the Muscle Shoals location had been definitely settled upon. Authoritatively it is stated that the government industry, comprising nitrate and ammonia acid plants and powder mills will be built here on the site located in West Sheffield and west of the city of Tusculum. The investigation of which is now thoroughly completed. So definitely is the matter settled that machinery and various other essentials have been ordered to be delivered here immediately, so that construction of the plants may be begun and dispatched to early completion. All other claimants for this great government industry are therefore eliminated.

Col. J. W. Jones, Capt. Kemphill and Lieut. Burns, representatives of the war department; H. G. Williams, vice-president; S. R. Jones and John C. Munson, engineers, of the J. G. White Company of New York City, today completed the investigation of the local site and are still here completing details and winding up their work, which will inaugurate the building of the plants. Other government officials and engineering experts will shortly arrive here to participate in the work.

### CAMP PIKE BOYS ARE GETTING BUSY; WORK IS MIXED WITH SOME PLAY

EARL C. WORLEY WRITES OF THE  
DAILY ROUTINE, WHICH IN-  
CLUDES STRENUOUS DRILL EX-  
ERCISES, BUT MAKES THE MEN  
FIT FOR ANY TASK.

### GRAND OPERA AT THE "Y"

LOUIS NELSON AND MONROE  
SCHARFENBERG TELL OF THE  
RECREATION WHICH BREAKS  
THE MONOTONY OF THE GRIND.

The "boys" at Camp Mills, Long Island, are daily undergoing strenuous drill and calisthenic exercises, according to a letter received by the Daily today from Earl Worley.

They are also having their bit of fun and amusement at Camp Pike, Ark., including warblings by grand opera prima donnas, according to a letter received by Miss May Nelson from her nephews, Louis Nelson and Monroe Scharfenberg.

The two letters follow:  
Camp Mills, L. I., Oct. 10.  
To the Editor of the Albany-Decatur Daily:

Dear Editor:—I suppose it would interest the people of Albany and Decatur to know the routine that the boys have to undergo at Camp Mills.

We begin in the morning at 5:30. We then begin our physical exercise. We have breakfast at 6 o'clock; then we resume our duties, going out to drill ground, which is two and a half miles from camp. Then comes our strenuous work, which begins with platoon drills, physical and bayonet exercise, which lasts until 11 o'clock. Then we drill back to our camps. At 1 p. m. we go out on a practice march under heavy marching orders. This is very tiresome, due to the weight of the equipment we carry which weighs 58 pounds. Due to this exercise and the training we have been undergoing has made us physically fit to combat with any of our nation's enemies.

Should it happen that we go to the front we boys of Company E bid you one and all farewell until we meet again and you can count on our return as we are very confident as to our ability to lick the Dutchman.

Very sincerely,  
CORP. EARL C. WORLEY,  
Co. E, 167 U. S. Inf.

Saturday, October 6, 1917.

Dear Aunt:—I was intending to go to town this afternoon, but just got orders to stay here, as some of us will be transferred this afternoon. So I will write you while I'm waiting around. They had a review of the men this morning. I didn't drill this morning, as I had charge of some men that were working around the barracks, so I got to watch the parade. It was great to look at. There were 16,000 men in the line.

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### REICHSTAG ADJOURNS WITH PEACE ISSUE STILL IN ABEYANCE

Government Avoids Open Statement of Aims  
By Springing Naval Mutiny

### HOWITZERS THUNDER LOUD IN BELGIUM

British Have Consolidated All Positions Won In  
Fighting of Tuesday

(International News Service.)

London, Oct. 12.—Without giving the Germans time to get their breath from his furious drive on Tuesday, Field Marshal Haig delivered another master stroke on the West Flanders front today.

The British swept forward to a new victory northeast of Ypres, completing their conquest of the famous Passchendaele ridge.

The breaking of the German grip upon the Belgian coast, where they maintain important submarine bases, looms nearer than ever before. And, rain nor German shell fire could quell the ardor of the gallant British troops and they hurled themselves upon the Germans with an impetuosity that soon put them in possession of important positions over a front of about six miles.

This is the sixth great and successful drive in the battle of Flanders since August 1.

(International News Service.)

Amsterdam, Oct. 12.—Kaiser Wilhelm has issued a proclamation to the German fleet warning the sailors of dire penalties in case of any further mutinous outbreaks.

London, Oct. 12.—Four Swedish ships in British ports have been requisitioned by the government.

(International News Service.)

Petrograd, Oct. 12.—Russia has more soldiers than she can handle. It was announced today that the minister of war has ordered the demobilization of the classes of 1895 and 1896 on the ground that the fronts are already encumbered with the reserves.

(International News Service.)

Paris, Oct. 12.—Heavy artillery duels are raging all along the French front, the war office announced today. The Germans made isolated raids, which were repulsed.

(International News Service.)

Amsterdam, Oct. 12.—Again the German Reichstag has adjourned, leaving the peace situation "up in the air."

The biggest sensation of the whole session was the announcement of Admiral Capelle, German minister of marine, that a "revolutionary" mutiny had broken out in the navy, and dispatches from Berlin today stated that the government had purposely held back news of the uprising until the psychological moment in order to strengthen the position of Dr. Michaelis, the imperial chancellor. Using the mutiny as their chief argument, the pan-German newspapers are demanding a more drastic attitude toward the socialists.

The coalition peace majority in the Reichstag was cleverly out-manuevered and the government got through the whole session without being compelled to go into details over peace terms. It was a victory for "Prussianism." Except for the announcement of the chancellor that Germany "will never give up Alsace-Lorraine," and the newspaper report that Germany and Austria will make a new peace offer on the terms of no annexations and no indemnities which have been persistently spread in the last few days, the peace situation remains just where it was.

Meanwhile, the Kaiser has gone to Sofia, where it is reported a peace parley will be held.

GERMAN POSITIONS ARE  
FOUNDED BY ARTILLERY.

(International News Service.)

London, Oct. 12.—Monster howitzers along the Anglo-French front in West Flanders are pounding the German positions over a wide front north and east of Ypres.

All the new British and French positions won on Tuesday have been consolidated, and while the heavy guns deluge the German trenches with shells the lighter artillery is being moved up through the mud nearer the front.

Stormy weather continues and the battlefield is one vast swamp.

### FIFTH GAME OF WORLD SERIES IS SATURDAY EVENT

(International News Service.)

En Route With the Giants, Somewhere in America, Oct. 12.—The happiest bunch of men in all the world today are the New York Giants. After undergoing two defeats at the hands of the Chicago White Sox, the Giants returned to New York and turned the tables. Both participants in the world series are now on an even footing insofar as games won are concerned and both are returning to Chicago, where the fifth game will be played Saturday.

An equal number of games will be played in Chicago and New York. After the game in Chicago Saturday the teams will return to New York for the sixth game, which will end the series provided either team takes both the remaining games.

The schedule as announced follows:  
Fifth Game—Saturday, Oct. 13, at Comiskey Park, Chicago.

Sixth Game—Monday, Oct. 15, at Polo Grounds, New York.

In the event a seventh game is necessary the place for playing it will be decided by the toss of a coin and the date fixed later. If a game is postponed on account of rain, or if for some other cause a legal game is not played, the teams will remain in the city where the postponement occurred until a legal game shall have been played.

A tie game will not be played off in the city where it occurred. The teams will move on to the next city after playing two legal games in one city.



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## ACCOMMODATION TRAINS SHOULD BE RESTORED.

The travelling public of the Tennessee Valley has been greatly inconvenienced by the removal of the accommodation trains of the Southern Railway, and so vigorous has been the protest that the Public Service Commission has ordered the matter reopened at a hearing to be held in Montgomery this month. Huntsville, the Tri-Cities, Courtland, Town Creek, Moulton and other cities of size and prestige have been placed at a great disadvantage by lack of adequate train service. There have been especially hard hit, as it now requires two days to make a fifty-mile trip and return, while mail matter moves slowly and newspapers arrive a day old.

On the surface, it hardly seems that the handling of troops and war materials is a legitimate excuse for the annulment of the accommodation trains, which are drawn by light engines and in which passenger coaches of a more or less antiquated type are used. Certainly, the Public Service Commission should make a distinction in permitting the annulment of trains. Where a road can curtail certain trains and still maintain a fairly good service, it should be permitted to do so. Where it cannot curtail trains without completely suspending local traffic, the privilege should be denied. The Twin Cities will join in the fight to have the accommodation trains restored.

## THE AMERICAN BIRDMAN.

While on a visit to Camp Sheridan, at Montgomery, Lieutenant Colonel Rellie of the French artillery, is credited with declaring that the American flyers are "the greatest on earth." Although the suavity and courtesy of the French is something after that of Alphonse and Gaston, it is entirely probable that the artillery officer meant every word that he said. For "there's a reason" why the American aviator should surpass his brother of the allied escadrille. In this land of the free and the brave there is no hamper to freedom of thought and action. There is every encouragement to the development of initiative, a quality that is given freer rein in the aerial service than in any other branch of warfare. Every birdman is in a manner a law unto himself and the promptings of a quick mind and the daring of an unfettered heart are elements that must bear great weight in determining the final result. As the melting pot of the various peoples, too, the United States occupies a unique relation to the nations of the earth. Its hardy citizenship and its vigorous manhood fears neither to dare nor to do.

The Frenchman is quite right. If the world war is to be won in the air, the American aviator will win it.

## HER HAT.

Her hat was badly soiled and wrinkled. But beneath it, pretty blue eyes twinkled.

She was advised by her most ardent lover.

To take the hat to Mr. Glover.

Let him make it look like a brand new lid.

And Kevy did.

## GLOVER'S HAT SHOP.

219 Lee St.

(Adv.) 12-11.

## State Press Views

## CONGRESSMAN ED B. ALMON.

Hon. Ed. B. Almon has added another feather to his official cap. By his untiring efforts he succeeded in getting another investigation of the possibilities of Muscle Shoals and came with the army engineer who was sent by the government at his earnest solicitation to investigate the location of Muscle Shoals as a place for the location of the experimental nitrate and powder plant. As a result the engineer made his report to the president and secretary of war and so strong was this report in favor of the location that the experimental plant was located at Sheffield, and those who are in close touch with the movement of this sort of thing, say that it will ultimately mean the development of Muscle Shoals. This should put a blush on some of the critics of the ability of our distinguished representative in congress. He never slept on the post, but kept in behind this movement and a reward has been given his vigilance, and four million dollars will be spent in Sheffield in the erection of this plant, which means a great deal for the district and for the entire South. It is the beginning of what will ultimately be the development of Muscle Shoals. It will be the greatest piece of legislation ever accomplished for the South. Congressman Ed. B. Almon is entitled to the praise and plaudits of the people of this district for this great enterprise.—Athens Courier.

## GOING AFTER THE "NEWSBOY" TO WIN.

Secretary Aiken of the Huntsville Chamber of Commerce, assures The Daily Times that it will be a pleasure to meet the situation and co-operate with every town along the line between here and Memphis to have the Southern "Newsboy" passenger train service restored.

A meeting has been arranged with the Alabama Public Service Commission for the 26th inst., instead of the 16th, as formerly announced, and at that time the claims of every town on the "Newsboy" division will be presented.

Good strong committees have been selected from each of the towns and at least one man from each of the towns will be there to help win the "Newsboy" back to public service.

The Alabama Public Service Commission cannot afford to deny the almost unanimous demand of the people for the restoration of these trains.—Huntsville Times.

## THE ALBANY SPIRIT.

The Times this week publishes from the Athens Courier an article which shows the public spirit of one of the most public-spirited small cities in the state. Comment on the article is hardly necessary, except to say that there should be some organized way for the city of Florence to help out the newspapers here in the boosting business.—The Florence Times.

## Underwood Says Shoals Will Land Permanent Plant

The location of the permanent government nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals is believed by Senator Underwood to be assured, following the designation of the Shoals as the site of the temporary plant. Senator Underwood is noted for his conservatism.

In a letter to the Daily, in reply to a telegram of congratulations, Senator Underwood has written:

I received your telegram in reference to the location of the experimental nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals.

This is a step in the right direction. I believe it assures the location of the greater plant at that place and the development of the hydro-electric power.

I shall continue to do my utmost to accomplish the desired result and greatly appreciate the kindly words you say in reference to myself.

Cordially yours,  
O. W. UNDERWOOD.

## INDICTED FOR TRYING TO OBSTRUCT THE DRAFT.

(International News Service.)

Leavenworth, Kans., Oct. 12.—Raymond I. Moore, and Mrs. Lenora Moore, his wife, of Kansas City, were indicted this morning by the federal grand jury on charges of conspiracy to defeat the army draft law. The indictment was the result of anti-draft speeches made at Topeka May 17.

Others indicted were Dr. Eva Harding, former candidate for congress; Ernest Newman, Ike Goldberg, Geo. W. Kleighege, and Earl Brower.

Business and professional cards printed or engraved. See our line of samples.

## SLATE ROOFS DEFY WEATHER

Same Covering Still Protects Old Saxon Chapel in England, Which Was Built in Eighth Century.

Time is the assessor of roofing material values. Few very few, roof covers can stand the harsh, exacting tests of old father time. Slate meets his requirements. Nature made it strong and sturdy, says an exchange.

In Hartford-on-Avon, England stands Old Saxon chapel which was built in the eighth century. The builders covered it with a slate roof. There the church stands today, still protected by the same slate, moss-covered but good.

Year after year this slate roof has defied Saxon chapel from the successive assaults of rain, hail, snow, wind, sun and frost. Twelve centuries it has served. It complains not and it has no misgivings about the future—it is a slate roof.

The British in particular are rich in evidence of the long life of slate as a roof covering. Slate was quarried in Wales centuries before America was discovered. There is in England today a slate roof over 800 years old, and still is good.

The first recorded use of slate in America was on a building in Philadelphia erected in the year 1700, which building served as the seat of government for William Penn's domain. There is no evidence that this roof was removed or replaced until the building was torn down in the year 1807.

In the New England states there are many houses and barns which have been covered with slate 60 and 70 years and which are still in excellent condition.

## WORLD'S LARGEST MERCHANT

Claim Made by H. B. Claffin in the Seventies Was Substantiated After Inquiry by Rivals.

The incorporation of "Claffins, Incorporated," recalls an incident connected with the founder of the business, which has borne the name of "Claffin" for upward of half a century, says the Wall Street Journal. In the early seventies, when the import duty on cotton prints was considered excessive, a number of importers framed a petition to congress, drawing attention to the fact that the high tariff was practically a duty upon domestic produce, inasmuch as the cotton grown in this country was merely sent to Manchester to be spun, woven and printed, and that they were actually being taxed upon American cotton upon its return after manufacture.

When the petition in question was presented to H. B. Claffin for signature, it had already been subscribed by A. T. Stewart, E. S. Jaffrey, Dunham, Buckley & Co., Arnold, Constable & Co., and others, which hurt the pride of Mr. Claffin. He could not well refuse to sign the document, as he was the largest importer of prints, and, therefore, the person most affected. He showed his chagrin at not having the petition presented to him for first signature by writing after his name, "The Largest Merchant in the World." This asseveration was questioned by A. T. Stewart and several of the others, who took pains to test it. After careful and worldwide investigation it was found that H. B. Claffin was then "the largest merchant in the world."

## She Has Skill With a Skillet.

Where we are living at present we have no gas range, only a two-burner plate, and the coal range is so large that it requires a great deal of fuel to heat the oven sufficiently to bake even a few muffins or biscuits, so that I have tried to find a satisfactory substitute that could be cooked in a skillet. By using the skillet dry and sprinkling it lightly with flour, I bake very enjoyable biscuit, cake or scones. For these I use simply a biscuit batter, made a trifle stiffer, patted or rolled to about a quarter-inch thickness. One must be sure to have the fire or gas low enough not to burn the outside of the scones before the inside has time to cook sufficiently. If gas is used, a more even distribution of the heat may be obtained by using a heated lid from the stove under the skillet; or a heavy piece of tin or sheet iron will serve the purpose.—Woman's Home Companion.

## Why He Didn't Volunteer.

The army recruiting officer was sitting in the office when a fine-looking young fellow stopped to look at the war trophies through the plate-glass window. The sergeant hustled outside and asked the man to volunteer.

"I'll not volunteer," he replied. "I don't mind fighting, but no volunteering for me."

"Why not?" asked the sergeant.

"Aren't the king and the Kaiser cousins?" asked the prospect.

"Yes," admitted the recruiting agent.

"Well, I volunteered last night in a family squabble, and that's how I got this scratch on my chin. Please me a request if you want me. I'll come—but no more volunteering."—Chicago Herald.

## Don't Play the Fool.

A great many people play the fool naturally. They come into the world endowed by nature and favored by opportunity to create something of a "Y." But the first thing they know they have gone off on some insignificant tangent that tells plainer than words that they are playing the fool. And in some cases it is really an art to keep from it. Temperament, association and the occasion have much to do with conduct. There's many a fellow with the blood of heroes in his veins who becomes a most distinguished fool.—Pennsylvania Grit.

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## WHEN WOMEN VOTE



"I understand that Mrs. Royle and Mrs. Coyle are paired for the coming election, at which their husbands are to be candidates."

"Yes. Neither woman really wanted to vote against her husband, and yet she couldn't, knowing him, conscientiously vote for him."

## SAME THING



Grace—Papa insists that I wait until I am thirty before I get married.

Maud—In other words, he insists that you never marry.

## TOO MUCH FOR HER



Cholly—T-y-your s-s-sister and I a-u-understand each other p-p-pretty well.

Lulu—Well, she knows you better than I do. I must admit I can't understand you.

## WEDDING DELAYED



"Did she promise to marry you?"

"Oh, yes; but I've got to wait until they can move next month. Just at present there's no room for me in her father's house!"

## ANCHORED ON THEM



In the spring the young man turns to love thoughts we are.

But the maiden's—does it likewise turn? Nay, nay! It's always there.

Those first calling cards. Every prospective bride takes especial interest in her first calling cards after the "Mrs." is added. Supply your wants by ordering early from the Daily. Many styles and prices to select from.

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"I'd rather lose my whole farm, stock and everything on it, than be back in the fix I was before Tanlac restored my health," said Joe M. Vinson, a well-known and prosperous farmer living on Route 2 out of Love, Miss.

"Three years ago my stomach got out of shape and I had been going down hill every since," he continued. "I couldn't digest my food and for eight months I had to live on the whites of eggs and buttermilk. I was so nervous I just couldn't sleep and suffered so much misery from indigestion that I felt good for nothing all the time. Gas would form on my stomach and swell me so I couldn't button my clothes; my head ached like it would pop open and I would get so dizzy and blind I would nearly drop. I would have awful smothering spells and almost choke to death."

"I sure am a different man now, since I took Tanlac! I can just eat anything I want and never have a bit of trouble with it. I have gained 15 pounds in weight and my strength has come back until I can do as big a day's work as I every could. All the misery and swelling has gone from my stomach and the headaches and smothering spells are a thing of the past. I have got such wonderful relief from Tanlac that I feel it my duty to let the world know about it."

Tanlac is sold in Albany by Prentiss Dillehay Drug Co., and by one regular established agency in every town. (Adv.)

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SALESMEN WANTED—Owing to draft and enlistment we have a few well-worked territories open and will be pleased to hear from interested persons. Applicant must be exempt from draft. McCann & Company, Dept. 51, Winona, Minn. 11-21

WANTED—To sell on easy terms, rent, or trade for a good farm or small house, my house on Oak St., Decatur. J. M. Collier, Hartsville, Ala. 11-61

FOR SALE—Good saddle and buggy mare, seven years old, gentle anyone can drive her. Also buggy and harness. R. B. Graves & Son, Decatur. 11-31

FOR RENT—Seven-room house, 610 Line street, Decatur; all modern conveniences, including water upstairs. First class condition. T. M. Dix. Phone 438 Decatur. 10-61

LOST—One pair tortoise shell nose glasses. Finder please return to J. L. Echols and get reward. 9-11

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, on Church street, Decatur; electric lights, hot and cold water. Reply by letter, addressing "Rooms," care Albany-Decatur Daily. 2-11

EXEMPTION BLANKS—For affidavits for exemption free of expense, see Eugene Ferris, Echols Hotel, Decatur. 24-11

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## NOTICE.

## MORTGAGE SALE.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of a mortgage executed to the undersigned, New Morgan County Building & Loan Association, by Wm. W. Baugh, and Eliza Baugh, on the 25th day of March, 1910, on the property hereinafter described, for the purpose of securing an indebtedness of four hundred fifty dollars to said Association, the said Association, will, for the purpose of satisfying said mortgage, or so much thereof as practicable, proceed to sell at public outcry, to the highest and best bidder for cash, within the hours of legal sale, at the door of the court house in Decatur, Alabama, on the 16th day of October, 1917, the following described property conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:

Lots three (3) and four (4) of John A. Thomason's subdivision of lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, of Block 50, Addition No. 1 of the Decatur Land Improvement & Furnace Company to the city of Decatur, Morgan County, Alabama, situated in Decatur, Alabama.

Dated this 14th day of September, 1917.

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By E. W. GODBEY, Attorney.

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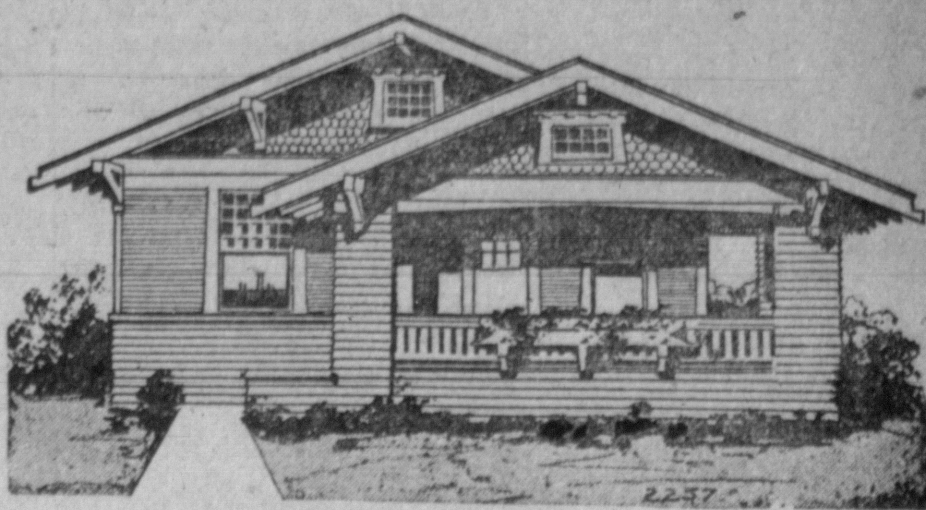
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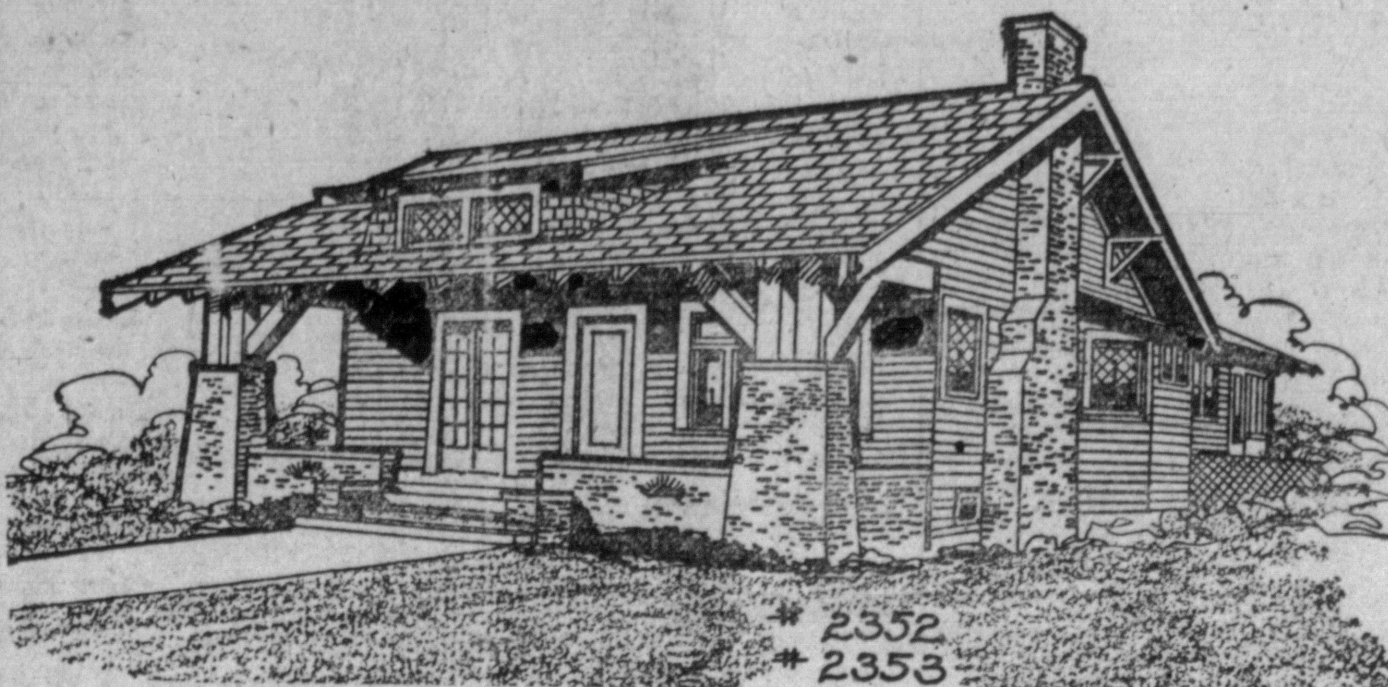
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Stay, stay at home my heart, and rest;  
Home-keeping hearts are happiest.  
For those that wander they know not where  
Are full of trouble and full of care;  
To stay at home is best. —Longfellow.

An old, old message, but oh how true. If the young people of this generation could but realize that home is the place to find pleasure and joy there would be less heartaches, less care among the parents of today.

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REMEMBERING:—

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Are full of trouble, full of care;  
To stay at home is best.

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### ANNOUNCEMENT.

J. Pettet Ezell remains with the Church of Christ, East Jackson street, with which he has labored for the past two years, and will continue to serve during 1918. He will preach Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

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Uncle Sam is so badly in need of 260 sewing machine operators at the Charleston navy yard that W. G. Gentry, secretary of the Albany civil service board, has been instructed to use every effort to interest the women of this section in the work, which pays \$2.48 a day. Unless these operators are soon secured from the South, the territory will be increased.

Mr. Gentry today received the following list of the government's needs in the way of employees and the remuneration offered:

Charleston, S. C.—One anglesmith, \$3.20 to \$4.24; one galvanizer, \$2.48 to \$3.60; four sailmakers, \$2.64 to \$4; 260 sewing machine operators, \$2.48.

Norfolk, Va.—twenty-three boiler-makers, \$2.96 to \$4.48; five copper-smiths, \$2.96 to \$4.56; 14 sailmakers, \$2.96 to \$4.24; 32 shipfitters (Layer-out boiler-makers), \$3.04 to \$4.72; two shipsmiths (blacksmiths), \$3.28 to \$4.48.

Portsmouth, N. H.—Three anglesmiths, \$3.28 to \$4.64; one boatbuilder, \$3.52 to \$4.48; two boiler-makers, \$3.52 to \$4.48; six shipfitters, \$3.75 to \$4.72.

Puget Sound, Wash.—Ninety general helpers, \$2.08 to \$3.04.

Washington, D. C.—Two canvas workers, \$3.68 to \$4.64; 100 machinists (all around), \$3.92 to \$4.88.

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# SOCIETY

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U. D. C.

Mrs. W. N. Hall, hostess. Thursday afternoon, Oct. 11, the United Daughters of the Confederacy assembled with Mrs. W. N. Hall for their first meeting of the season of 1917-18. Mrs. W. C. Bailey, the presiding officer, opened the meeting with the solemn ritual, followed by a song. A paper on Secession Organization and the Confederate Government was read by Mrs. O. B. Cartwright.

"Secession of the Southern States," round table, led by Mrs. McMath, and assisted by Mesdames W. T. Lowe, W. J. Garnett, W. N. Hall and Miss Leadingham.

An election for secretary was held, when Mrs. J. O. Camp was put in office.

Miss Ruth Banks, accompanied by Miss Lucille Bailey, gave two beautiful vocal selections.

### MRS. PAT BROCK ENTERTAINED AT ROOK.

Mrs. Pat Brock opened her pretty home Thursday afternoon for the entertainment of about sixteen of her friends. Cosmos and marigold expressed the decorative motif. In the game Miss Maud Cleary made top score, and Mrs. John Fleming cut the consolation. Delicious refreshments were served after the award of prizes.

### MATTHEWS BIBLE CLASS.

Mrs. L. J. Ramage entertained the Matthews Bible class Thursday afternoon. An election of officers was held that resulted in the following executive board for the year:

President—Miss Pritchett. First Vice President—Mrs. Sam H. Malone.

Secretary—Mrs. Robert Banks. Treasurer—Mrs. Robert Carroll.

After the election sewing for the Red Cross was done, and later tea and sandwiches were served.

### MUSIC STUDY CHORUS.

The Music Study Chorus will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. W. R. Shelton. Please be prompt.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the Central Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Miss Glenn Garrison. This will be a business meeting and all members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Rebecca McNear, of the east part of the county, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Forman.

Mrs. A. T. Hanson returned yesterday from a business trip to Birmingham, made in the interests of The Fashion.

Miss Evelyn Johnson is visiting friends and relatives at Birmingham.

Mrs. A. Bernstein, Misses Stella David and Mayme Barnett attended the fair at Birmingham Thursday.

Mrs. A. Polyinsky and children are in Birmingham today.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McGehee are in Birmingham today.

Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Ramage are attending the State Fair at Birmingham.

Mrs. D. W. Speake and daughter, Margaret, returned from Birmingham Thursday en route from Tuscaloosa to Decatur.

Mrs. T. M. Jones, who has been in Birmingham several days, returned Thursday and reports the condition of Mr. J. T. Jones very favorable.

Mrs. Kitty Prowitt and sister, Miss Burleson, are in Birmingham today.

Mrs. Vera Austelle and son, Malcolm, returned Thursday from a few days' visit to friends at Birmingham.

Now that the State Fair is nearing its close, we can turn our thoughts to our Fall Musical Festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Saunders and Mr. and Mrs. William Steed and Miss Duce Moseley, motored to Huntsville Thursday for the day.

Miss Minnie King, of Leighton, visited relatives in Albany this week.

Mrs. John M. Minor and son, John, spent Sunday in Tusculum, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff D. Minor.

Mrs. J. A. Cullom, of Nashville, will arrive Monday to visit her sister, Mrs. W. N. Hall.

Mrs. J. H. Edwards and daughter, Lucile, are spending the week-end in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark have gone to Springfield, Mass., to make it their future home.

Mrs. Howard Clark, en route from Benham, Ky., to Montevallo, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Clark.

### PERSONALS

J. A. Forman and Jno. M. Maxwell, of Decatur, were in town Saturday on business. A. G. Patterson, of Albany, was a visitor in Hartselle on Wednesday. Mrs. Jas. L. Draper and little daughter, of Decatur, were the week-end guests of Mrs. Draper's sister, Mrs. Fred M. Swift. E. P. Johnson, of Albany, was in the city Sunday, returning from McClanahan Spring, where he had visited his mother, Mrs. R. H. Johnson.—Hartselle Enterprise.

Edgar Nichols, of Birmingham, will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. I. Nichols.

### X-Ray Colors Glass.

Glass colored by the light of short-wave length and gem stones changed in color are among the curious effects produced with the new X-ray tube of H. Rosenthal, a New Jersey experimenter. Several kinds of optical glass were affected, and became progressively changed throughout to various yellow and brown tints. A variety supposed to contain manganese took on the amethystine or purple tint sometimes acquired by window panes long exposed to bright sunlight. Pink California spodumene was altered to a deep green in a few minutes; and some minerals owing their natural coloring to manganese were also changed in color. The special X-ray tube is about four inches in diameter. A rod of molybdenum supports an anode of solid tungsten, which is water-cooled, and the cathode is an electrically heated spiral of tungsten. The bulb is cooled by compressed air. The tube is operated by a high-tension transformer, and its effects can be modified or regulated by varying the voltage and the cathode temperature.

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### SAMMIES BEING TRAINED TO HANDLE ARTILLERY.

(International News Service.)

Field Headquarters, American Army in France, Oct. 12.—The American Sammies are getting ready to man the big guns that will support their lines when they take their places on the battle front. American gunners trained in the coast artillery are now here and are learning how to handle the French artillery.

Reserve officers are being trained by French officers in the "combination school." The big howitzers are being studied, as well as small cannon.

### Liberty Bonds Are Bought By "Boys"

(International News Service.)

Little Rock, Oct. 12.—The report on the Liberty loan campaign at Camp Pike today showed that well over \$100,000 had been subscribed.

(International News Service.)

Macon, Ga., Oct. 12.—Officers and enlisted men at Camp Wheeler have invested a total of \$76,200 in Liberty bonds up to Friday morning.

### CARD OF THANKS.

The pain and sorrow was softened by the ministrations of our kind friends during the illness and death of our wife and mother, and we wish to express our heartfelt gratitude to all who so tenderly aided us in our bereavement.

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## EMMET STATUE UNVEILED



This statue of Robert Emmet, the Irish patriot, was unveiled the other day in the National Gallery of Art in Washington in the presence of President Wilson and many other notables. Jerome Connor is the sculptor.

**White Man's Justice.**  
A native was charged before a Cape Town court a few days ago with house-breaking, but although the evidence was strong, the jury found him not guilty. In discharging him, the judge said: "The jury has exemplified on another occasion how the white man deals with justice. We may all feel you are the man who broke this place open, but we are going to let you go rather than break our own law, and our own law is that the evidence must be conclusive against the man; otherwise he is not convicted. You are discharged."

**Probably Warmer.**  
The vicar of the parish, when out walking one day, met a former lady member of his congregation. After exchanging salutations, he observed: "I don't see your husband with you so much as when you were on your honeymoon; has he grown cool?" "Not if what you preach be true," was the reply. "He is dead!"—London Tit-Bits.

## Bale of Cotton Sells For \$204

Grant Collier, a tenant on the Dancy plantation, today sold a bale of cotton and seed for \$204. The bale gained 608 pounds of lint.

## INCREASE IN MUNITIONS IS PLAN OF ENGINEERS.

(International News Service.)  
St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 12.—Increasing the country's production of sulphuric acid by 2,000,000 tons, which can be made possible chiefly through the greater production of pyrites in this country, will be one of the principal war services of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, according to plans discussed at the second day's sessions of the Institute, which is in convention here. Sulphuric acid, besides being a prime requisite in the making of munitions, is important as a fertilizer ingredient and to the chemical industry.  
Government authorities at Washington have informed the Institute that 6,250,000 tons of sulphuric acid were produced in this country last year, and in order to prosecute the war without handicap in this country it is necessary to increase this production to 8,000,000 tons during 1917. The principal pyrites mines are now located in Virginia, California and New York, but on account of transportation difficulties the California deposit is almost unavailable. Last year 40 per cent of the sulphuric acid production came from pyrites shipped from Spain, 6 per cent from Canada, 13 per cent from domestic pyrites, 22 per cent from smelter acid and 19 per cent from native sulphur.  
The nation's pyrites supply is said by the mining engineers to be only second in importance to increasing the supply of manganese ores for the American steel industry. The conservation of this mineral and methods to increase production are also considered by the Institute.

## Camp Pike Boys Are Getting Busy

(Continued from Page One.)  
and the bands were playing. Our boys made the best showing of them all. They had a big blow-out at the Y. M. C. A. last night, but I couldn't get in, it was so crowded. They had a concert and several famous opera singers sang, and the major made a speech. There is a fast ball game or something like that nearly every afternoon, and three entertainments a week at the Y. M. C. A., but you have to "get up before daylight" to get in to see any of them.

We got our uniforms yesterday and took our last "shot" this morning. My arm has taken, but hasn't hurt me any. I haven't drilled much this week, but have been busy with other things. They have had me doing things that the others didn't know anything about. I don't think they will keep me in this battery long, but I will let you know at once if they change me. Send my mail the same as before, and be sure to put "Battery C" on it, as you left it off the last card you sent. You know there are about 12 batteries in the 384th.

It was real cold here last night and this morning, but hasn't rained since we've been here. Monroe and I are all o. k. I sure would like to see you and the boys.

With love,  
LEWIS NELSON, and  
MONROE SCHARFENBERG.

## UNCLE SAM'S SOLDIERS WILL FIGHT AT NIGHT.

(International News Service.)  
Washington, Oct. 12.—Preparations for night fighting on a great scale by the American troops in France are being made by the war department. Prior to each night engagement every infantry and artillery unit will be furnished with illuminating pyrotechnics for throwing into the air; it was announced today.

## GIBBONS SAYS AMERICANS SHOULD DO THEIR DUTY.

(International News Service.)  
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Mr. Walsh is Harry Kelly, itinerant purveyor of printed knowledge, who begins his sentimental adventure with an escapade in a young ladies' seminary, the main result of which is his meeting Mollie Lester (Doris Pawn.)

### "CHEATING CHEATERS" AT LYRIC (Mobile Register.)

An enthusiastic audience last night enjoyed "Cheating Cheaters," the attraction at the Lyric theatre, which will continue for today, matinee and night. It's the best drama of its kind that has ever been presented in this city.

On the screen "Cheating Cheaters" would be a "thriller" of the highest class. With spoken lines it becomes a rollicking farce, embroidered with some laughable dialogue, droll characters, enough unexpected turns to keep the audience guessing, and, of course, the inevitable love theme.

The good old crook stuff, popular with the public since the days of Raffles and Sherlock Holmes, rock along through the first act. Then act two, the Palmer home, finds the leader of the "mob," palmed off as the daughter of rich neighbors, to "line up" the house for the big robbery, while young Tom Palmer makes violent love to her, and Antonio Verdi her fake music teacher, trembles in deadly fear at the thought of Ferris the famous detective who is on their trail. And the sudden surprise at the end of the act—the Palmers are nothing but—

But hold! There is no use in giving it away. Just remember this: The name of the play is "Cheating Cheaters," and its chief charm lies in the unexpected developments which keep one guessing as to who is a crook and who isn't, who has the "swag" and who hasn't, and who in creation is this detective fellow, Ferris, anyway?

There is no weak part in "Cheating Cheaters." Miss Augusta Perry, the heroine and Hal Briggs, who plays Steve Wilson, the tough crook, are the stars of the play, although the audience last night showed their appreciation of the work of David Manning as "Antonio Verdi," the fake music teacher. John Saunders as the lawyer, had a difficult part that was carried out well, while Foster J. Williams as "Tom Palmer," lacked nothing as the gentleman crook.

"Cheating Cheaters" is a play that grows on you and is an excellent example of some of the real good attractions that are booked for the Lyric this season.



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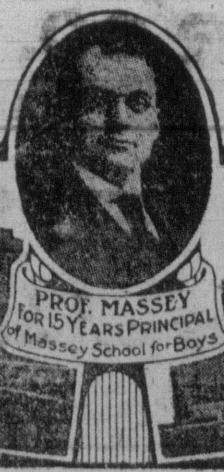
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## Nick-a-Jack President Preaches Sunday at First Presbyterian

By special invitation of the pastor the Rev. Charles R. Hyde, of Chattanooga, will preach at the First Presbyterian church Sunday at 11 a. m. Mr. Hyde is president of the Nick-A-Jack Hosiery Mills of Chattanooga, a branch of which has recently been located in Decatur.

Mr. Hyde has been for many years a minister of the Presbyterian church and he will doubtless be heard with pleasure by the Decatur congregation and its friends.

## Nelson to Attend New York Banquet

George A. Nelson, well known Twin City booster, will attend the meeting of the Southern Commercial Congress to be held in New York in October and will "sit in" at the ten-dollar-a-plate banquet to be given at the Astoria Hotel to the allied diplomats. Mr. Nelson will represent Morgan county at the meeting of the Commercial Congress.

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## SHOES MAY SETTLE THE WAR

Germany Has a Badly Shod Army, Declares American Just Returned From the Front.

Berlin dispatches via London are not the best criterion of how Germany is standing up under the burden of war, but a late bit of news regarding the scarcity of leather there is corroborated by first-hand information. The dispatch says, according to the Baltimore News:

"Berlin's bank clerks today set an example in patriotic self-sacrifice. To aid the movement in economy of leather, the clerks discarded their shoes. Scores of barefooted individuals were seen on the principal streets gingerly stepping along and saving their tender feet as much as possible. Berlin's shoe stores are now selling wooden sandals, the only leather being in toe guards."

In the News there was an interview with Dr. Joseph Ames of Hopkins, who has just returned from the front on government business, having been sent there as a member of the national research council. Curiously enough, Doctor Ames saw but one sign of weakening in Germany, and that, he said, was shoe leather. To quote from the interview:

"I saw thousands of German prisoners while I was in France, and in none was there the slightest further sign of want or privation except shoes. They all wore shoes that were in bad shape, and that, you know, is a thoroughly good sign, for a badly shod army is a half-crippled army."

It may be put down as certain that the army is the last to be deprived either of food or of clothes and shoes. In war the needs of the people at home must yield to the necessities of the men at the front. An army without shoes is in a bad way. The dispatch and Doctor Ames' account of what he saw with his own eyes are interesting as indications that Germany is having troubles of her own and, doubtless, a great many more of them than we know anything of.

## DAY OF THE RIFLE NOT OVER

Is Still Valuable in Warfare, Despite Advent of Machine Gun, Hand Grenade and Other Weapons.

The overwhelming position in the war picture occupied by the big guns, the machine guns and Lewis guns, the importance of trench mortars, hand grenades, bombs, rifle grenades, and other accessories of trench warfare, make some men think that the day of the rifle as an important adjunct to success in battle is well-nigh past.

Such is not the case, declares Frederic Coleman in the Saturday Evening Post. Those of us who can remember the brave advances of the Prussian Guard at Ypres, when they marched in battalion formation right up the Menin road, straight at our trenches—on one occasion, if not more, marching to almost sure death at the goose step—knew the value of accurate, rapid rifle fire. So do these Prussian guardsmen, if any of them are still alive. Not many of them were left when the broken waves of gray were swept back, like leaves by an autumn wind.

The rifles did most of it. Machine guns we had, to be sure, but woefully few of them. Those that we had were overworked to a point that made us wonder, not when they jammed, but when they worked long without jamming. The rifle, in the hands of a man who can shoot straight and shoot with great rapidity, is a wicked weapon still; and the value of cold steel, though it is not a subject on which men who have seen it used love to dwell, has not so far as I can see, changed greatly, if at all, in the three years of grim war in Europe.

## Saved Napoleon's Heart.

So the American military leaders have been visiting Napoleon's tomb, remarks the London Chronicle. Did they, one wonders, hear the story of his heart, which the tomb incloses? On the night that he died his body was prepared for embalming and the heart was placed in water in a silver ewer. An Irish soldier who loved Napoleon sat up with his old muzzle-loader to guard the body, for Longwood swarmed with rats. In the midst of his vigil he heard a splash in the ewer. He fired, just in time to save the heart from the vile rodents which were dragging it away. Americans knew that sentry's grandson, Sir Arthur Sullivan, and loved his music.

## Mice Overrunning Australia.

Mice by the million are overrunning a large part of Australia. They are adding mightily to the wartime troubles of the farming community and officials—particularly the former. The havoc they are causing in bagged wheat—for Australia has not the grain elevator system as yet—standing in many rural districts awaiting possible shipment to overseas markets is fast becoming a question of grave national import.

## Too Much Practice.

Lady—What are you crying for, my little man?  
Bobby—My father has been beatin' me.  
Lady—Well, don't cry. All fathers have to beat their boys sometimes.  
Bobby—But my fa-father isn't like other fa-fathers. He's in a brass band, and he beats the big drum.—London Tit-Bits.

## Happily Married.

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Augusta Ferry, with "Cheating Cheaters," at Masonic Tuesday, October 16.

## Negro Desperado Sentenced to Die

(Continued from Page One.)

was once more placed in a Birmingham jail. Just how he escaped from there is not known, although the prisoner said today that he bribed his jailer. He was re-captured at Bessemer last Saturday and his trial and conviction followed in short order.

In the conviction of Hardley, Solicitor Almon has secured his twelfth death penalty, nine of the men having paid the price of their crimes on the gallows, the others being reprieved by the governor of Alabama. **Tells of Escapes.**

Hardley was interviewed at the Morgan county jail this morning by a representative of the Daily and talked freely of his numerous escapes from custody. The story that the negro told, if true, reflects no credit upon certain officials of Birmingham, as he claims that he twice bought his freedom from Magic City jails. He stated that the price he paid for his first escape was a revolver and \$10 in cash, the gun already being in possession of the authorities. The escape from the county jail was more costly, a deputy warden being handed \$29 in money, according to the prisoner's statement. His initial escape was from the stove works at Florence, where he had been leased after his conviction in Morgan county for burglary. On that occasion, Hardley said, he merely walked away while the guards were not on the alert.

Hardley is a negro, apparently 23 years of age, of substantial build and weighing about 140 pounds. He is courteous and talks freely and has none of the bravado of the average criminal. He refers to his various feats without showing apparent concern and does not seem depressed by his impending fate.

## STATE OF ALABAMA.

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To P. L. Smith, Kalamazoo, Michigan, or wherever he may reside.

You will take notice that a writ of attachment was issued out of the Circuit Court of Morgan County, Alabama, by the undersigned as clerk thereof in a case entitled

George E. Barnett

vs.

P. L. Smith.

and that said writ of attachment was made returnable to said circuit court, and that the same was levied by the sheriff of said county upon the following property, to-wit: All of the interest of P. L. Smith in house and lots Nos. 22, 23, 25 and 26, in block 43, addition 3, of Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, and house and lot No. 15, in block 46, addition No. 4 of Decatur Land Improvement and Furnace Company to Decatur, all in Morgan County, Alabama. The interest of P. L. Smith in said property believed to be a one-twelfth undivided interest. You are hereby notified of the issuance and levy of said attachment and the return thereof, and that you may appear in said Circuit Court in answer to the said cause and said attachment at the next term thereof, if you see proper so to do.

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## GUARD TO BE IN SPOT LIGHT

State Troops Will Have Major Place in Thoughts of General Public, Says Regular Officer.

"It seems to me," remarked an officer of long experience, according to the Army and Navy Journal, "that a little friendly, earnest advice to our National Guard units would be strictly in order at this time. The members of the former state regiments are peculiarly placed in the great organization which is to include all our forces. They will have a major place in the thoughts of the general public, which always has ignored, except in the most abstract way, the existence of a regular army. Unless things go wrong the Guard will be over the water and in the midst of things before the registered lads have mastered the intricacies of extended field maneuvers. And, without dwelling on the justice of it—you can bet that Company Q of Federal will be mentioned oftener in the press stories than any similar unit of Pershing's boys. For this reason and others, I would say to our Guardsmen: 'The National Guard will soon be engaged in one of the largest and most difficult undertakings. In a military way, that has been attempted in this country since the Civil war. That is your mobilization at camps, transfer to the coast, embarkation and crossing. Things should move with comparative smoothness if every man jacks up, from brigadier to rear-file private, takes advantage of the experience gained in the mobilization of last year.'"

## HE DIDN'T HAVE \$2,000,000

Man From Kentucky Thought for a While That He Might Buy the Coal Baron's Property.

New York is chock-full of little pikers who are here seeking opportunities to invest their nest eggs, which usually run in the five figures, a Pittsburgh Dispatch correspondent writes. One of them, a man from Kentucky, who had wished himself into the wealthy class, met a wealthy coal baron from Parkersburg, W. Va., and let it be known that he was not averse to acquiring a good mining property. "I've just got the property you want," said the man from Parkersburg. "Let's have dinner together and talk it over."

The coal man went to his room in the hotel and brought down an armload of papers. "Every one of my mines is a producer," he opened up. "They're all developed and are paying 35 per cent on the investment." They spent two hours, studying the maps and figures on the daily output and the present price of coal. Finally, the question of the amount of money involved in the deal was broached. "How much do you want for the whole proposition?" asked the Kentuckian. "Two million dollars," answered the Parkersburg man. "Gee, I hadn't figured on putting more than \$25,000 in mining," said the man from the Blue Grass state. "In fact, that's all I got to spend."

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